



KAABAGRAM



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DON'T THROW THEM AWAY DONATE THEM

- Did you know most people throw away their used sneakers without ever thinking about recycling?
- Are you ready to make a difference ?
- You can by taking the first step toward a circular economy by going to your closet and looking for any gently used "sneakers only" and recycle them today!
- Donate your sneakers to:
 - Kaaba Shriners: 511 Veterans Memorial Pkwy, Davenport, IA 52807
 - Recycled to help needy families and children
 - Drop off Monday thru Thursday between 9am and 3pm.
 - Questions? Call (563) 386-2526

DROP OFF TODAY !!!



Kaaba Elected Officers for 2022

- Potentate — Michael Reschly
- Chief Rabban — Monte Harris
- Assistant Rabban — Brian Huff
- High Priest & Prophet — Nathan Stone
- Oriental Guide—David Downs
- Recorder — Roger Kadel PP
- Treasurer — David Klein PP

APPOINTED DIVAN

- Chaplain — Thomas Hodges PP
- First Ceremonial Master — Louis Fowler
- Second Ceremonial Master — Leland Fowler
- Director — Todd Gullickson PP
- Marshal — Terrance Riessen
- Captain of the Guard — Allan L. Kluever
- Outer Guard — Sherman Rudnick

OTHER OFFICERS

- Temple Attorney - Robert Breckenridge II
- Insurance Committee - Mark A. Steffen
- Photographers - Richard J. Larson and Michael J. Welch
- Donor Relations—Todd Gullickson PP
- Board of Governors, Chicago Shriners Hospital
Thomas F. Hodges PP
- Associate Board Member, Chicago Shriners Hospital
Richard Koerner
- Associate Board Member, St. Louis Shriners Hospital
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2022 KAABAGRAM BOOSTERS

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- KAREN KLEIN – DAVENPORT, IA
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JOIN THE KAABAGRAM BOOSTERS IN 2023

BOOSTER RATES:

**Annually —One Line
(Single name or
Mr. and Mrs.)\$10.00**

**If you want your
name and lady's name
on individual lines \$20.00**

**Enclosed is my check for
\$ _____**

Name or Names and town :

Line 1 _____

Line2 _____

**KAABA SHRINE
P.O. BOX 3627**

Potentates Party
Nov. 5, 2022
Davenport Masonic Center
Social Hour 5:00
Dinner at 6:30
Music by Nathan Gosnell
Dress is casual
Cost is \$25.00 per person
payable at the door
will accept MasterCard, Visa,
American Express & Discover
Hotel Block at Holiday Inn
Express 401 Veterans Memorial Parkway
563-386-2300 Use KAABA PARTY

Please RSVP by Oct. 27 to The Kaaba
Office or Mike Reschly 319-750-7997



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**Congratulations to Team Kaaba
1st place in the Four Wheel Small Group**



YES....there is ONE!

"BLACKHAWK SHRINE CLUB of the QC"

There is only ONE Shrine Club in the Quad Cities?

WHEN do they meet?.....the second Thursday evening of each month, about 5:30pm.

WHERE do they meet.....the Welcome Inn Restaurant, 118 West 10th Ave., Milan, IL., (across the avenue from Hy Vee, on Illinois Route 67). Order off the menu (they have a Senior Menu and a bar).

WHAT do they do.....our door is open to all of the Nobles and their Ladies in the QC, who want to meet socially, fellowship with others and enjoy a program.

IS THERE A "HOOK"?.....Sure, annual dues of \$15.00 and usually a 50/50 drawing after the meal. Currently, there is no set fund raising activity.

HOW DO I MAKE CONTACT?.....Reservations are made one week ahead of the meeting date.

Email: kaaba2009@yahoo.com or call: 309-738-3296, with your name and number attending (so seating can be confirmed) or any questions you may have for your decision process.

TRY US, YOU MAY FIND YOU LIKE THE GROUP!

The 2022 Iowa Shrine Bowl



Our Home for the Iowa Shrine Bowl 2022 by Jerry Hoffman General Manager

The 50th annual All-Star Football game started on Saturday July 16th. at the University of Northern Iowa at Cedar Falls.

What a Year! Everyone and Everything was so good.

The coaches and managers arrived at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday. July 16th.

Sunday afternoon players arrived at Lawther Hall to spend the week. They were happy to find out the dorm was air conditioned, and anxious to meet the other 91 players, 14 coaches and 4 managers; to start a full fun week. We had former shrine coaches visit and talk to us at our practices. After our first meal on campus we noticed on the counter top 4 prosthetic legs that belonged to one of our Shrine Bowl Club members Benny Gaffney, there to share his shrine experience after his lawn mower accident at age 5. He does such a good job making his story so real. He takes his leg off and shows us how the leg is attached. This really made us understand how the shrine hospitals and doctors treat all the shrine children and their needs. What a good first day at camp!

Monday was a day spent practicing and learning their new surroundings and getting acquainted with all our new friends.

Tuesday morning 40 cheerleaders checked in to their campus dorm rooms. They were dressed in their school uniforms as they were the first to get their pictures taken at the dome. In the evening we all went to an indoor movie at the Gallagher-Bluedorn Theatre on campus. The highlight was a video of Kurt Warner 1989 shrine bowl player from Cedar Rapids, Regis talking about his experience at the Iowa Shrine Game that he was in. It was really motivational and really instilled in us that "Everyone can be just that special person" We enjoyed his movie "Underdog".

Wednesday meals and practice was held during the day. At 2:30 we went by bus provided by the Cedar Falls school system transportation department to "The Lost Island Water Park" in Waterloo. It was a great afternoon to be at the waterpark and everyone enjoyed relaxing in the cool water. This year as a special treat we were provided a meal and served at the gateway park by the El Kahir Shrine club before going back to the dorm.

Thursday another fun day of practice and in the evening they went to the Reinbeck Memorial Hall for the Hog Roast. The El Kahir Shriners had been working since 4:00 a.m., preparing the hogs and other food. Shriners from El Kahir, Za Ga Zig, Abu Bekr and Kaaba helped during the cutting up of the hogs, serving and welcoming our football players, cheerleaders and dance team. Thanks to all who helped with the preparation, serving and clean up. A special treat as our new Imperial Outer Guard Ron DeVoll was in attendance. Jeremy Thesing a parent of a shrine child gave an important message about the shrine and how it has helped his family. Parents you can be proud as a lot of please and thank you were heard as the students went thru the serving lines.

Friday was the day of the mini camp for hospital children from all over the state to attend and be a part of our Shrine Bowl. We had 27 hospital children and their families enjoy a morning in the UNI Dome playing and doing games with the cheerleaders, dance team, players and coaches. What an experience it is to see the young adults bond with the children and for the first time understand why we support such a program!!! The Fareway store in Cedar Falls furnish and serve all the food for the noon meal and the hamburgers were grilled by the Cattlemen from the area. Again, thanks to all for a great morning with our kids. In the afternoon all of the players, cheerleaders, and dance team attended demonstrations from the Minneapolis Hospital Staff about all the different treatments that are available at our hospital systems. We were honored to have Imperial Potentate Kenneth G. "Kenny" Craven from Shrine International joined us for the mini camp and the rest of our week's activities.

Friday evening was our banquet at the Hilton Garden Inn in Cedar Falls. 718 attended this year and enjoyed a very good meal. All cheerleaders, players, coaches and the dance team members received awards and were introduced. Our King Hudson Hoefling from Odebolt and Queen Monserrat Villa-Gomez from Moline, IL were crowned. Several awards were presented for top sales from our program book, most game tickets sold, and the winner of the first annual Jerry & Ellie Hoffman "Iowa Shrine Bowl Scholar Athlete Award" for 2022 was Avery Fuller from Creston.

Saturday was a thrilling day starting off with the Shrine Parade in downtown Cedar Falls. Many Shriners, units and clubs participated in our parade this year. The Parade was at 9:30 hosted by the Abu Beke temple with a great number of parade units from El Kahir, Kaaba, Abu Bekr and Za Ga Zig. We always enjoy having the White Horse Patrol from Sioux City join us. Following the parade we had an autograph session for everyone to visit with the players, cheerleaders and get their autographs. The cheerleaders performed for us at the "Over Man Park" of Cedar Falls. Hospitality followed the parade for the Shriners at the Gateway Park. Thanks to the Abu Bekr temple for being our host.

Players and cheerleaders had lunch and checked out of the dorm and were at the dome by 2:00 P.M. to get ready for our game.

The Pre game performance was presented by the Pleasantville dance team under the direction of Miika Busick. They presented a very inspirational flag routine honoring all branches of the service. Performance by our All Star Cheerleading Squad under the direction of Jess Anderson, Heather Langenfeld and Trisha Black was a super success. The Shrine Honor Guards presented the colors. The National Anthem was sung by Hannah Zacek from Iowa City, Liberty. Our football player Aaron Graves from Southeast Valley gave the Invocation. It was a great honor to have Scott Halverson NFL super bowl referee and Shrine Queen join Imperial Potentate Kenny Craven for the coin toss. Half time is always a fun time and we are entertained by the Cheerleaders with a great routine, which they had worked hard to put together in a few short days at camp. Another super tradition is to have all the hospital children and all of our nobles in attendance come out on the field to be introduced and thanked for their hard work all year long.

The score of the game was South 17 North 24. As you know the real winners were our hospital children and the new awareness of what the Shrine is all about. Many new friends were made during the camp and lifetime friends will continue.

Many thanks go to all the shrine nobles that had apart in making this year's game a total success. Shriners you are the greatest!!! The Kaaba temple will be our new host for 2023 and the game will be played at the UNI Dome on July 22, 2023 in Cedar Falls. Let's all work to make the 2023 game even greater as all of you know





KAABA SHRINE LEGION of HONOR UNIT

Requirements to be a member of the Kaaba Legion of Honor Unit

Need to be a Noble in good standing

(2) Be a Military Veteran

Interested Nobles/Veterans are welcome. We honor ourselves as Veterans supporting our hospitals and helping the Kids.
 Responsibilities: Present Colors at Kaaba meetings, Iowa Shrine Bowl, Masonic functions and other events. Participate in parades and compete with other Shrine Legion of Honor Unit drill Teams at CSSA (Central States Shrine Association).

2022 OFFICERS

Commander	Erik Ratzbirg
1st Lieutenant Commander	James Williams
2nd Lieutenant Commander	Ken Winfield
Adjutant	Sam Burnett
Finance Officer	Monte Harris

2022 Meeting

October TBA	Monthly Meeting	Muscatine Family Restaurant, Muscatine, IA
November 11th	Veteran's Parade	Davenport, IA
November 19th	Monthly Meeting	Luli's Restaurant, Milan IL
December 17th	Monthly Meeting	Luli's Restaurant, Milan IL

Installation of Officers

Monthly Meeting

Social 5:30 pm

Dinner/Meeting 6:00 pm

Central States Shrine Association

Legions of Honor

3rd Commander

Sam Burnett, PC

Kaaba



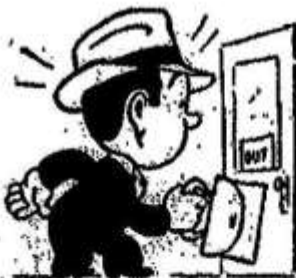
Things to do TODAY!



Write a prospect



Phone a prospect



Call on a prospect



Mail in a petition

Membership as of:

January 1, 2022

711

Current Year to Date:

Expired 33

Associate Members Dropped

Demits 2

Suspensions 4

Resigned

TOTAL LOSS: 39

Created 5

Associations 1

**** Does NOT add to membership gain****

Restored 6

TOTAL GAIN: 11

NET GAIN / LOSS: -28

GAIN/LOSS % -3.94%

Membership as of
September 30, 2022

683



The Black Camel

Honoring those who have gone before us

"In Memory of Our Departed Brother Nobles"

*When Allah calls, then our friends obey and fold their tents and steal away.
To the land where the crystal waters flow, where the Beautiful Palms of Allah grow.*

Life is a story in volumes three, the past, the present, the yet to be.

*The first we've written and laid away, the second we're reading day by day,
The third and last of the volumes three, is locked from sight - God keepeth the key.*



Donald (Don) Eugene Watson, Sr. July 26, 2022

Donald (Don) Eugene Watson, Sr. 616 Evan Street, Muscatine, Iowa. Passed away on Tuesday, July 26 at ProMedica Care in Davenport, Iowa. Don's memberships included Kaaba Shrine Club, Hospital Dads Shrine Club, and Legion of Honor Shrine Club all of Davenport, the Muscatine County Shrine Club, Honor/Provost Guard Shrine Club, Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & M, and American Legion Post 0027 of Muscatine.. Don is survived by his wife Dianne



Allan Arnold Augustine July 28, 2022

Allan Arnold Augustine died at 12:24 p.m. July 28, 2022 at his residence. He was a member of Kil-winning Masonic Lodge #198 A.F. & A.M. in Batavia, Clinton Chapter #9, Ottumwa Council #31, Malta Commandery #31, Arbor Vitae #327 Order of Eastern Star, KAABA Shrine, Ottumwa Shrine Club and B.P.O.Elks Lodge #1192 in Fairfield. Allan was a member of Batavia Post #667 American Legion for over 75 years. Allan's wife Mary Evelyn preceded him in death on November 2019



Paul G. Wilson August 1, 2022

Paul G. Wilson (Bounce), of 2755 HWY 5, Moravia IA passed away, Monday, August 1, 2022, at Mercy One -Des Moines of a massive heart attack. He was a Mason and a member Kaaba Shriners. Survivors include his wife, Deanna married 61 years



George M. Weers, Jr. August 6, 2022

George M. Weers Jr of Bettendorf passed away on Saturday, August 6, 2022 at his residence. He was a member of Snow Masonic Lodge #44, Eastern Star, and the Kaaba Shriners. George was dedicated to service work through the Shriners where he drove the trolley and also transported children to the Shriners Hospital. He was honored to be a 33rd Degree Mason. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lois.



**KAABA SHRINERS
SPORTSMAN'S
GIVEAWAY RAFFLE
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022**





Wayne Arthur Barnes July 31, 2022

Wayne Arthur Barnes, of Portage, Wisconsin, passed away on Sunday, July 31, 2022, at St. Mary's Hospital in Madison. He married Betty Lou Bennett on December 29, 1954, at Pleasant Grove Church in Columbus Junction, Iowa. He was also a Mason and a Shriner. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Betty,



Dennis Earl Stout August 24, 2022

Dennis Earl Stout, of Ainsworth, Iowa, died peacefully in his sleep on Wednesday, August 24, 2022. Dennis was a member of the Washington Masonic Lodge #26, a fifty year member of the KAABA Shrine and was a member of the York Rite Bodies. He is survived by his wife, Linda Stout of Ainsworth, Iowa

Election Notice

Divan: Potentate * Chief Rabban

Assistant Rabban *High Priest & Prophet

Oriental Guide * Treasurer* Recorder

Official Call for Elections

Wednesday, December 7, 2022

The annual election of Kaaba Shriners will be held on

Wednesday, December 7, 2022

511 Veterans Memorial Parkway

Davenport at 6:00 pm

No later than 9:00pm the annual election will start.

Kaaba Temple will elect seven Divan Members,

a Trustee for a 3 year term,

Representatives to the Imperial Council and Central States Shrine Association,

and any Openings which may occur in the interim.

Members must have their 2022 Dues Card for admission to the meeting



10/1	Roy E Porter	Davenport IA 52806	10/23	Larry Weber	Ollie IA 52576
10/1	Thomas F Hodges Sr.	Milan IL 61264	10/24	Keith L Chelsvig	Lawrenceville IL 62439
10/1	Andrew D White	Columbus Jct IA 52738	10/25	James F Hahn	Muscatine IA 52761
10/2	Jerry Moehr	Goose Lake IA 52750	10/25	Donald D Schantz	Ainsworth IA 52201
10/2	Mitchell K Loyd	Winfield IA 52659	10/26	Charles H Frymoyer	Tipton IA 52772
10/3	Phillip W Haan	Bettendorf IA 52722	10/26	Kenneth L Strom II	Clinton IA 52732
10/3	Richard D Collier Jr.	Columbus Jct IA 52738	10/26	Louis F Fowler	Blue Grass IA 52726
10/4	Myron A Mc Creedy P.P.	Champaign IL 61822	10/26	Brian V Mc Grew	Columbus Jct IA 52738
10/4	Ronald D Garrison	Clinton IA 52732	10/28	Fred M Gibson	Moline IL 61265
10/5	Daniel G Peters	Winfield IA 52659	10/28	Robert F Russell	Stockton IA 52769
10/5	Darryl F Howe	Naperville IL 60540	10/29	Garry M Sumpter	Burlington IA 52601
10/5	Glenn R Siders	North Liberty IA 52317	10/29	John R Whitaker	Polk City IA 50226
10/5	Robert A Kessel	Fairfield IA 52556	10/29	Vernon L Rode	Columbus Jct IA 52738
10/6	Sherman B Rudnick	Davenport IA 52807	10/29	Samuel J Williams	Columbus Jct IA 52738
10/6	Dennis R Bell	West Liberty IA 52776	10/30	Darrel Conaway	Morning Sun IA 52640
10/6	James M Carr	Muncie IN 47304	10/30	James A Reynolds	Waterloo WI 53594
10/7	John L Fraseur	West Lafayette IN 47906	11/1	Roland L Mc Creery P.P.	Ottumwa IA 52501
10/7	Nick C Jannes	East Moline IL 61244	11/3	James J Goudy	Fairfield IA 52556
10/8	John P Kaalberg	Muscatine IA 52761	11/3	Robert W Setterberg	West Point IA 52656
10/8	Scott N Hardy	Ainsworth IA 52201	11/3	Michael W Steinbach	Centerville IA 52544
10/9	William O Conaway	Columbus Jct IA 52738	11/3	Kyle A Brewington	Fairfield IA 52556
10/9	Craig D Brown	Eldon IA 52554	11/4	Nicholas M Pugh	Solon IA 52333
10/10	Steven L Johnson	Clinton IA 52732	11/5	Harold W Black	Carbon Cliff IL 61239
10/11	Harold G Reed	Richland IA 52585	11/5	LaVerne Burton	Davenport IA 52802
10/11	David V Strafford	Moline IL 61265	11/6	Allan W Fuhr	Taylor Ridge IL 61284
10/11	David Cassat	Eldon IA 52554	11/6	Michael E Baughman	Cincinnati IA 52549
10/12	Ronald G Ornduff	Ainsworth IA 52201	11/8	Raymond A Aynes	Mount Pleasant IA 52641
10/13	James E Wasson	Conesville IA 52739	11/9	Stanley H Coin	Rock Island IL 61201
10/13	Aaron J Whitlow	Columbus Jct IA 52738	11/9	Robert L Logel	Muscatine IA 52761
10/14	Robert D Francois Jr.	Davenport IA 52807	11/9	Thomas W Montgomery	Cambridge IL 61238
10/14	David J Nolte	Durant IA 52747	11/10	Charles A Selensky	Dubuque IA 52001
10/15	David H Carrick	Mount Pleasant IA 52641	11/10	Raymond P Slach	West Branch IA 52358
10/15	Douglas F Boyler	Bettendorf IA 52722	11/10	Greg C Schave	Reynolds IL 61279
10/17	Leonard G Stutz Jr.	Kahoka MO 63445	11/11	Charles R Johnson	Moravia IA 52571
10/18	Kenneth W Hatch	Mount Pleasant IA 52641	11/11	Charles M Kiple	Ottumwa IA 52501
10/18	David G Klein P.P.	Davenport IA 52803	11/11	Gilbert M Goldensoph Jr.	Burlington IA 52601
10/18	James C Wieneke	West Liberty IA 52776	11/11	Douglas L Peyton	DAVENPORT IA 52807
10/19	David H Patton	Dubuque IA 52002	11/11	Monte L Pugh	Columbus Jct IA 52738
10/19	Scott L Brower	Washington IA 52353	11/12	Franklin C Hocker	Davenport IA 52806
10/20	Howard R Jones	Columbus Jct IA 52738	11/12	James R Kennedy	Iowa City IA 52245
10/20	Patrick E Burke	Oskaloosa IA 52577	11/12	Richard A Brewington	Eldon IA 52554
10/20	James A Goetsch	Long Grove IA 52756	11/13	William K Little	Rock Island IL 61201
10/21	Juan P Garcia	Humble TX 77346	11/13	Donnie R Woolums	Davenport IA 52807
10/22	Jerry D Magdefrau	Springdale AR 72764	11/13	David L Schrier	Muscatine IA 52761
10/22	Brian J Huff	Davenport IA 52807	11/13	Michael D Rees	Crawfordsville IA 52621

Birthdays Continued					
11/19	Craig M Edsall	Sault Sainte Marie MI 49783	12/12	Troy M House	Conesville IA 52739
11/20	James L Kluxdal C.R.N.A.	Centerville IA 52544	12/13	David H Tubbs	Atkinson IL 61235
11/20	Walter J De Vasier	Fairfield IA 52556	12/13	Richard J Larson	Coal Valley IL 61240
11/20	Tobias J Munley	Bloomfield IA 52537	12/14	Nathan D Stone	Cambridge IL 61238
11/21	James W Fox	Bettendorf IA 52722	12/15	Robert E Watson	Ainsworth IA 52201
11/22	James P Barrett	Clinton IA 52732	12/15	Phillip H Corwin	Bettendorf IA 52722
11/22	Lloyd Kenney Jr.	New Boston IL 61272	12/15	William J Juhl P.P. X2	Columbus Jct IA 52738
11/23	John L Potter	Davenport, IA	12/16	James K Lykam	Davenport IA 52806
11/24	John R La Zonby	Lombard IL 60148	12/16	Robert J Temple	Morrison IL 61270
11/26	Thomas E Murphy	Washington IA 52353	12/17	John W Moander	Keokuk IA 52632
11/26	James G Bosten	Muscatine IA 52761	12/17	Jason L Hill	Olds IA 52647
11/26	Jeffrey S Stark	Lake Wales FL 33898	12/19	Jon F Thoms	Bellevue IA 52031-8951
11/27	Jimmy R Reiland	Mission TX 78572	12/19	David D Kauffman	Columbus City IA 52737
11/27	John E Brewington	Batavia IA 52533	12/20	David R Birdsell P.P.	Moline IL 61266
11/27	Steve W Bateman	Dubuque IA 52001	12/20	Ronald L Farrier	Columbus Jct IA 52738
11/27	David R Smithburg	Batavia IA 52533	12/20	David V Moore	Oskaloosa IA 52577
11/28	A. W Hancock P.P.	Eldon IA 52554	12/23	Kenneth Hudson	Davenport IA 52806
11/28	Robert E Dixon	Moline IL 61265	12/24	Arthur L Graham	Moulton IA 52572
11/28	Delven C Hays	New London IA 52645	12/27	Dale R Aper	Colona IL 61241
11/29	Kenneth L Hanson	Washington IA 52353	12/27	Philip A Countryman	Fairfield IA 52556
11/29	David D Bush	Yarmouth IA 52660	12/27	Roy E Stotlar	Fort Madison IA 52627
11/30	Dicky L Newcomb	Walcott IA 52773	12/27	Michael L Pugh	Columbus Jct IA 52738
11/30	Mitchell L Taylor	Burlington IA 52601	12/27	Todd P Gullickson	Davenport IA 52807
12/1	James P Humble	Batavia IA 52533	12/28	Jack H Hayes	West Burlington IA 52655
12/2	Gaylord D Roslton	Clinton IA 52732	12/28	Aaron E Coe	Mount Pleasant IA 52641
12/2	Lawrence J Gile	Silvis IL 61282	12/28	Charles Teeter	Keosauqua IA 52565
12/2	Ralph Mercer	Burlington IA 52601	12/29	Marvin J Krieger	Muscatine IA 52761
12/3	Michael R Prior	Winfield IA 52659	12/29	Job Keltner Jr.	Burlington IA 52601
12/3	Ethan D Eakins	Batavia IA 52533	12/29	Skye L Wellington	Williamsburg IA 52361
12/4	Raymond W Stanfley	Dubuque IA 52001	12/29	Jason W Delzell	Wapello IA 52653
12/4	Richard W Dean	Sigourney IA 52591	12/30	William E Van Lue	Peoria IL 61614
12/4	George H Mc Neal	East Moline IL 61244	12/30	James J Sletten	Elk River MN 55330
12/4	James M Dixon	Burlington IA 52601	12/31	Michael G Zinser	Palo IA 52324
12/5	William G Schlobohm	Lindenhurst IL 60046	1/1	Norman L Adams	Eldridge IA 52748
12/5	Elwyn L Van Meter Sr.	Mammoth Springs AR 72554	1/1	Jeffery L Andeway	Hedrick IA 52563
12/5	John G Pape	Oskaloosa IA 52577	1/1	Robert L Myers III	Fulton NY 13069
12/6	Harold W Ogilvie Jr.	Muscatine IA 52761	1/3	Thomas C Brooke	West Liberty IA 52776
12/7	Joey E Eakins	Eldon IA 52554	1/3	Terry M Davis	Manhattan KS 65503
12/7	Jose R Lao	Rock Island IL 61201	1/3	John A Russell	Keokuk IA 52632
12/8	Guy J McCausland	Camanche IA 52730	1/3	Donald E Krueger	Illinois City IL 61259
12/8	Andy W Miller	Washington IA 52353	1/4	Michael W Martin	Ottumwa IA 52501
12/8	Charles C Cherry	Conesville IA 52739	1/5	Donald R Nicolaysen	Clinton IA 52732
12/10	Edwin K Cox	East Moline IL 61244	1/5	Allan W Haytcher	Moline IL 61265
12/10	Dale E Parlet	Oskaloosa IA 52577	1/5	Frederick R Kaufmann	Moscow IA 52760
12/10	Darrel " Conaway Jr.	Conesville IA 52739	1/5	Donald L Zillman	Richland IA 52585
12/11	Clayton W Vermillion	Keokuk IA 52632	1/6	Gerald M Stewart	Ainsworth IA 52201
12/11	Troy L Pugh	Letts IA 52754	1/6	Kennie L Robertson	Grandview IA 52752
12/12	William W Chmelar	Washington IA 52353	1/6	Larry F Brossart	Muscatine IA 52761
12/12	Monte J King	Ottumwa IA 52501	1/7	Mark Huston	Wellman IA 52356
			1/8	Joshua M Buckman	Columbus Jct IA 52738

Shriners Children's Chicago Board of Governors Meeting

I would like to take a minute to thank everyone for their support of our Board members to Shriners Children's Chicago. As we have in the past and will do in the future, your Board members have attended the Board meetings both in person and by internet. The September meeting was conducted with the Board members attending in person and the Associate members participating by internet. Hopefully, some day we will be able to all get together again in person. Also, I would like to thank everyone who made my re-election for another 3-year term possible to Shriners Children's Chicago. I will strive to do my very best for the Hospital and Kaaba Shriners.

Mr. Graig McGhee, who comes to Chicago from Erie, has the new dual role of being Hospital Administrator and the Midwest Market Administrator. His territory of responsibility will be reaching from Chicago to St. Louis and the Twin Cities. He informed the Chicago Board that "Chicago will take care of more kids, in more places, at a lower overall cost by focusing on" these five areas: Highest Quality, Regulatory Compliance, Care for Children in Need, Shriners Brand and Experience, and Economic Stewardship.

August 2022 was a very busy month for Chicago. Our surgeons performed 118 surgeries with 15 spine surgeries with implants, and 78 outpatient surgeries. With a total of 25,491 minutes of surgeries, by my calculation, that just short of 425 hours or 53 days of surgeries, which is the most surgeries done this year. Way to go, Doctors and Nurses! The Chicago facility had 1491 in-Hospital visits which included 180 new patients, while only 49 patients totally completed their Shriners Hospital care. Chicago also had 50 Telehealth visits. This is something that some patients could be making better use of and we need to tell our patients about. If you don't understand what Telehealth is, please feel free to contact me and I will try to explain how it works. During the budget discussion, Chicago is expecting at least a 3% to 10% increase for all services across the board. This will mean that more overall monies will be required to perform requested services. The 2023 budget, as of now, will be 50+ million dollars. More information on the budget will be forthcoming as numbers are finalized. Chicago is undertaking a study to set up an infusion suite. Over the past several months Chicago has been doing more infusions, using more assets and exhausting nursing staff. As more details become available on the infusion suite, I will pass them on.

One thing that is always constant is the need to repair/replace in building maintenance. The number 6 boiler will have all it's 132 boiler rods replaced at a cost of \$23,887. Additionally, the water chiller unit will be replaced just as soon as temperatures drop low enough to permit work to begin. Both upper and lower coils will be replaced. This unit is 21 years old and will cost \$49,481 and provides "chill water" that is cooled to a specific degree requirement for different uses in most of the Hospital. On October 4, 2022 Morton Arboretum, along with volunteers, will plant 15 trees on hospital property, and then next year they are planning to come back and plant another 15 trees. This project was approved by Imperial.

Thomas F. Hodges
Board of Governors

Shriners Children's Chicago

KAABA HOSPITAL NEWS

The count on the hospital trips the July, August, September

July – Kaaba transported 1 patients to Chicago and 1 patient that went up on their own to Chicago
1 patient that went to Ohio their own

August- Kaaba transported 3 patients to Chicago and 5 patient that went up on their own to Chicago
and 0 patient that went up on their own to St. Louis 0 to Twin Cities

September - Kaaba transported 3 patients to Chicago and 2 patient that went up on their own to Chicago , Kaaba Transported
and 1 patient to St. Louis and 1 patient went to St. Louis their own

If the patient have not requested that we help with transportation we do not receive any information on them. So there maybe patients in the area that we have no records on.

THANKS to the drivers that have driven these patients:

Mary Coffin, Jim Goetsch, Tom Hodges, James Johnson, & Jose Lao, Wayne Martin, and Dicky Newcomb

100% OF THE PROFIT FROM THIS EVENT GO TO THE SHRINERS HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN



Winfield Parade August 6, 2022

Dan Peters

Thanks for the many, many hours you put in to arrange the activities for the day.



RECORDER'S CORNER

Greetings Noble's

This year is winding down, but we still have a couple of events to come:

October 8th: Columbus Day Parade – Columbus Junction

October 15th: Sportsman Raffle

October 30th: Davenport Halloween Parade

November 11th: Davenport Veteran's Day Parade

Let's end this year on a high note!!! Come and join us and enjoy the fellowship and camaraderie.

Remember stated meetings the 1st Wednesday of each month. Free will offering dinner. THE FOOD IS GOOD AND THE PRICE IS RIGHT!!!

One last thing is installation of officers will be Saturday, January 7, 2023, here at the Masonic Center.

Pictures at noon, installation and fellowship to follow.

Until Next Time.



Kaaba Shrine Tab collection


50/50 Raffle

All proceeds benefit the
Kaaba Shrine


Contact a Kaaba Divan
member for more
information

**NEXT KAABAGRAM WILL BE PUBLISHED
IN FEBURAY 2023
MUST HAVE ARTICLES BY
JANUARY 19TH
EMAIL THEM TO
kathy@kaabashrine.net**


October

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Kaaba Shrine
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 Davenport, IA 52808



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INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

ARTICLES FOR KAABAGRAM ARE DUE

STATED MEETING DINNER 6:00- MEETING 7:00